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Kunming, China

Provisional Agenda

Day 1 – 14 September 2009

Morning session

9:30 - 10:00 **Opening**

10:00 - 11:00 **Introduction to the Family of international classifications**

- General concepts and obligations
- Linkages between classifications

Discussion

11:00 – 12:30 **Implementation of ISIC Rev.4**

- General structure and main concepts of the classification
- Application rules

Discussion

Afternoon session

14:00 – 17:30 Implementation of ISIC Rev.4

Application of ISIC and coding issues

- Review of selected ISIC sections:
 - o Section E (Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities)
 - o Section J (Information and communication)
 - o Section C (Manufacturing)
 - Divisions 26-28 (Machinery and equipment)
 - o Section T (Activities of households as employers; undifferentiated goods- and services-producing activities of households for own use)
- Treatment of headquarters

Discussions after each topic

Day 2 – 15 September 2009

Morning session

9:30 - 10:30 Extensions and applications of ISIC Rev.4

- Use and development of Alternate aggregations
 - o Existing alternate aggregations in ISIC Rev.4
- Relationship between ISIC and ICATUS, COPNI and other classifications

Discussion

10:30 - 11:30 Concepts of CPC Ver.2

- Structure and main concepts
- New concepts and product groups
- High-level changes in CPC
- Application rules

Discussion

11:45 – 12:30 Implementation of CPC Ver.2

- Link between CPC and ISIC
- Links to other classifications (HS, SITC, BEC)
- Alternative structure options

Discussion

Afternoon session

14:00 – 17:00 Implementation of CPC Ver.2

Concepts and coding issues

- Review of selected CPC sections/divisions:
 - o Section 8 (Business and production services)
 - Division 84 (Telecommunications, broadcasting and information supply services)
 - Including originals and changed concepts of services
 - Division 88 (Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others)
 - Division 86 (Support services to agriculture, hunting, forestry, fishing, mining and utilities)
 - o Section 7 (Financial services, real estate services, leasing and rental services)
 - Division 71 (Financial and related services)
 - Division 72 (Leasing or rental services without operator)
 - o Division 93 (Human health and social care services)

Discussion after each topic

17:00 – 17:30 Implementation of CPC Ver.2

- Discussion of other areas of interest in the CPC Ver.2 (based on requests by participants)

Day 3 – 16 September 2009

Morning session

09:30 – 12:30 National implementation process for ISIC and CPC

(This session will be based on the Implementation Guide that is being developed by UNSD)

- Institutional setup
- Development of national adaptations
 - o General criteria
 - o Country experiences in developing a national classification, based on ISIC (Australia/ASEAN)
 - o Country experiences in developing product classification, based on CPC (Australia)
 - o Applications of product classifications (Australia)

Discussion after each topic

Afternoon session

14:00 – 17:30 National implementation process for ISIC and CPC (cont.)

- Recoding strategies for business registers
- Adaptation of sampling procedures
- Backcasting strategies (UNSD/Australia)

- Development of coding tools

Discussion after each topic